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SENATE RESOLUTION 37 By Kurita

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Diana Morgan Yrabedra, 2003 Valedictorian of the Academy for Academic Excellence.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Diana Morgan Yrabedra is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2003 graduating class at the Academy for Academic Excellence; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Ms. Yrabedra has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country, even completing the requirements for her diploma in three short years; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Diana Yrabedra has earned an exemplary 3.783 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, an extremely talented and well-rounded young woman, Ms. Yrabedra is a member of the National Honor Society, Newspaper Staff, Prom Committee, Choir, Band, and

her church youth group and has served as the Student Council President and Parliamentarian, a Teacher Aide, an Office Aide, and a Mentor for children with special needs; and

WHEREAS, Diana Yrabedra is committed to serving the greater good, offering her presence, gifts, and service to several community organizations, including Loaves and Fishes and the Humane Society; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Yrabedra's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Diana Yrabedra's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Yrabedra's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend and honor the 2003 Valedictorian of the Academy for Academic Excellence, Diana Morgan Yrabedra, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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